



Las Vegas Fire & Rescue Fire Prevention Division Information Sheet



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CLV Ordinance #6325

The items listed are basic information only. Codes are subject to change. Additional requirements may apply.

Liquefied Petroleum Gases

A construction permit is required for the installation of or modification to an LP-gas system. **105.7.11**

An operational permit is not required in Group R-3 occupancies and buildings constructed in accordance with the IRC. **SNFC 105.6.27**

An operational permit is not required for individual containers with a 30-gallon (113.6 L) water capacity or less or multiple containers having an aggregate quantity not exceeding 30 gallons (113.6 L). **SNFC 105.6.27**

Portable LP-gas containers are allowed to be used temporarily for demonstrations and public exhibitions. Such containers shall not exceed a water capacity of 12 pounds. Where more than one such container is present in the same room, each container shall be separated from other containers by a distance of not less than 20 feet. **IFC 6103.2.1.5**

“No Smoking” signs shall be posted when required by the fire code official. Smoking within 25 feet of a point of transfer, while filling operations are in progress at LP-gas containers or vehicles, shall be prohibited. **IFC 6107.2**

Where exposed to vehicular damage due to proximity to alleys, driveways or parking areas, LP-gas containers, regulators and piping shall be protected in accordance with the *International Fire Code* Section 312 (Vehicle Impact Protection) **IFC 6107.4**

Empty LP-gas containers that have been in LP-gas service shall be considered as full containers for the purpose of determining the maximum quantities of LP-gas allowed. **IFC 6109.5**

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